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**Unit 7 – Local Governments**

**Part 1 – Origin of Power of Local Governments [CE 8a, 8b]**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1. The powers of local governments are defined in this document. (P.320)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. Local governments also get powers from Acts of which legislature? (P.320)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3. True or False. All local governments in Virginia have the same powers. (P.320)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Virginia Constitution requires all local governments elect this officer for law enforcement. (P.321)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 5. The Virginia Constitution requires all local governments elect this officer to help maintain vital court records. (P.321)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 6. The Virginia Constitution requires these **(2)** officials to handle finances of the local government (P.321)

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**Part 2 – Powers of Local Government [CE 8a]**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 8. Powers exercised by all elected local governments in Virginia

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**Part 3 – Applying powers of local government. Identify which goal is being met by each of the following local government actions. (CE 8a] (P. 328-333)**

**A. public safety C. education E. regulating land use**

**B. public health D. levying and collecting taxes**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 15. Inspecting restaurants and operating clinics.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 16. Providing elementary and high schools.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 17. Creating and enforcing zoning regulations.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 18. Planning for a response to terrorist attacks.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 19. Assessing based on real property value.

**Part 4 – Three different types of Virginia local governments [CE 8a, 8c**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20. This group is elected in cities to exercise legislative tasks, enacting ordinances (local laws) and adopting an annual budget. (P.325)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 21. Every city in Virginia has this leadership position as well; elected either by the voters or the council. (P.325)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 22. The specific powers that have been granted to a city government by the General Assembly are found in this document. (P.325)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 23. Every county in Virginia elects this group to be their legislature, which enacts ordinances (local laws) and approves an annual budget (P.322)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 24. Counties (as well as cities) elect or appoint these to oversee the operation of their K-12 public schools. (P.322)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 25. Towns in Virginia elect these to be their law-making body. (P.325)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 26. Towns in Virginias all have this leadership position, elected by voters or the council. (P.325)

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 27. Many Virginia cities and towns, including Newport News and Virginia Beach, hire this official to handle the day-to-day affairs of local government. (P.324)